

Chap. 658. AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF WORCESTER COUNTY, ITS DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND INSTITUTIONS, OF SUNDRY OTHER SERVICES, FOR CERTAIN PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS, FOR INTEREST AND DEBT REQUIREMENTS, AND TO MEET CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF LAW AND GRANTING A COUNTY TAX FOR SAID COUNTY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. To provide for the maintenance of Worcester county, its departments, boards, commissions and institutions, of sundry other services, for certain permanent improvements, for interest and debt requirements, and to meet certain requirements of law, the following sums for several purposes are hereby appropriated, subject to the provisions of law regulating the disbursement of county funds and the approval thereof, for the year nineteen hundred and seventy.

WORCESTER COUNTY.		<u>Subtotal</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	For interest on county debt		\$151,907 43
2.	For reduction of county debt		298,000 00
3.	For county commissioners, salaries and expenses		60,656 54
1.	Personal services	\$57,046 54	
2.	Contractual services	500 00	
3.	Supplies and materials	2,000 00	
4.	Current charges and obligations	560 00	
5.	Equipment	550 00	
4.	For transportation and expenses of county and acting commissioners		2,611 00
5.	For clerk of courts, salaries and expenses		331,368 19
1.	Personal services	314,163 19	
2.	Contractual services	6,300 00	
3.	Supplies and materials	7,250 00	
4.	Current charges and obligations	1,352 00	
5.	Equipment	2,303 00	
6.	For county treasurer, salaries and expenses		125,271 11
1.	Personal services	102,058 61	
2.	Contractual services	13,600 00	
3.	Supplies and materials	5,250 00	
4.	Current charges and obligations	840 00	
5.	Equipment	3,522 50	
7.	For sheriff, salary and expenses		16,690 50
1.	Personal services	14,900 00	
2.	Contractual services	300 00	
3.	Supplies and materials	750 00	
4.	Current charges and obligations	740 50	
8.	For registry of deeds, salaries and expenses		
	Worcester District		417,645 45
1.	Personal services	368,301 95	
2.	Contractual services	16,000 00	
3.	Supplies and materials	28,000 00	
4.	Current charges and obligations	3,000 00	
5.	Equipment	2,343 50	

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Northern District		\$82,284 20
1. Personal services	\$71,384 20	
2. Contractual services	5,500 00	
3. Supplies and materials	2,760 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	2,040 00	
5. Equipment	600 00	
8a. For registry of probate, salaries and expenses		35,630 00
2. Contractual services	23,775 00	
3. Supplies and materials	7,000 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	2,555 00	
5. Equipment	2,300 00	
9. For law library, salaries and expenses		
Worcester		46,227 68
1. Personal services	27,302 68	
2. Contractual services	1,200 00	
3. Supplies and materials	600 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	16,130 00	
5. Equipment	995 00	
Fitchburg		13,475 60
1. Personal services	8,230 60	
2. Contractual services	185 00	
3. Supplies and materials	60 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	5,000 00	
10. For highways, including state highways, bridges and land damages		1,074,466 59
1. Personal services	327,711 59	
2. Contractual services	4,200 00	
3. Supplies and materials	5,425 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	2,550 00	
5. Equipment	6,280 00	
6. All other	728,300 00	
12. For criminal costs in superior court		539,612 68
1. Personal services	230,246 68	
2. Contractual services	301,870 00	
3. Supplies and materials	5,015 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	1,731 00	
5. Equipment	750 00	
13. For civil expenses in supreme judicial, superior, probate and land courts, including auditors, masters and referees		379,680 88
1. Personal services	181,386 98	
2. Contractual services	194,573 90	
3. Supplies and materials	1,615 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	2,105 00	
14. For district courts, salaries and expenses		
Central District Court of Worcester		594,755 67
1. Personal services	551,094 67	
2. Contractual services	5,200 00	
3. Supplies and materials	31,800 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	3,150 00	
5. Equipment	3,511 00	
District Court of Fitchburg		153,395 31
1. Personal services	127,349 06	
2. Contractual services	8,925 00	
3. Supplies and materials	6,080 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	3,914 00	
5. Equipment	7,127 25	

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District Court of Leominster		\$59,956 76
1. Personal services	\$50,108 76	
2. Contractual services	2,350 00	
3. Supplies and materials	3,250 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	3,598 00	
5. Equipment	650 00	
District Court at Winchendon		37,705 78
1. Personal services	34,439 78	
2. Contractual services	525 00	
3. Supplies and materials	745 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	1,771 00	
5. Equipment	225 00	
First District Court of Northern Worcester		127,142 78
1. Personal services	111,595 78	
2. Contractual services	3,190 00	
3. Supplies and materials	3,425 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	7,748 00	
5. Equipment	1,184 00	
First District Court of Eastern Worcester		137,560 69
1. Personal services	124,094 34	
2. Contractual services	3,085 00	
3. Supplies and materials	4,925 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	3,844 00	
5. Equipment	1,612 35	
Second District Court of Eastern Worcester		94,730 98
1. Personal services	85,965 98	
2. Contractual services	1,875 00	
3. Supplies and materials	3,575 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	3,315 00	
First District Court of Southern Worcester		121,278 00
1. Personal services	109,270 00	
2. Contractual services	3,600 00	
3. Supplies and materials	3,365 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	4,673 00	
5. Equipment	370 00	
Second District Court of Southern Worcester		104,046 66
1. Personal services	94,979 66	
2. Contractual services	2,200 00	
3. Supplies and materials	1,825 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	4,242 00	
5. Equipment	800 00	
Third District Court of Southern Worcester		91,216 85
1. Personal services	86,339 85	
2. Contractual services	1,750 00	
3. Supplies and materials	2,280 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	817 00	
5. Equipment	30 00	
District Court of Western Worcester		52,053 49
1. Personal services	44,379 49	
2. Contractual services	870 00	
3. Supplies and materials	2,200 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	3,504 00	
5. Equipment	1,100 00	

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District Court — Worcester Juvenile Court		\$206,759 81
1. Personal services	\$136,634 36	
2. Contractual services	14,800 00	
3. Supplies and materials	9,550 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	33,635 00	
5. Equipment	11,530 45	
6. All other	610 00	
District Court — Northern Juvenile District		72,087 18
1. Personal services	63,513 68	
2. Contractual services	5,825 00	
3. Supplies and materials	962 50	
4. Current charges and obligations	205 00	
5. Equipment	1,581 00	
District Court — Southern Juvenile District		34,011 76
1. Personal services	30,777 76	
2. Contractual services	2,445 00	
3. Supplies and materials	418 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	76 00	
5. Equipment	295 00	
District Court — Appellate Division		375 00
1. Personal services	200 00	
2. Contractual services	75 00	
3. Supplies and materials	100 00	
15. For medical examiners and commitments of insane		105,550 00
16. For jail and house of correction, maintenance and operation		872,056 79
1. Personal services	660,044 99	
2. Contractual services	35,000 00	
3. Supplies and materials	140,000 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	12,334 80	
5. Equipment	23,677 00	
6. All other	1,000 00	
17. For training school		1,000 00
2. Contractual services	1,000 00	
18. For court houses and registry buildings, maintenance and operation		524,345 83
1. Personal services	356,063 08	
2. Contractual services	113,800 00	
3. Supplies and materials	42,535 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	3,605 00	
5. Equipment	8,342 75	
18a. For bindery department		22,143 70
19. For construction of county buildings and purchase of land		25,000 00
20. For agricultural school or county aid to agriculture, maintenance and operation		194,451 43
1. Personal services	167,389 43	
2. Contractual services	13,010 00	
3. Supplies and materials	8,800 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	1,200 00	
5. Equipment	4,052 00	

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21. For state reservation, maintenance and operation (Purgatory Chasm)		\$24,772 60
1. Personal services	\$21,583 60	
2. Contractual services	400 00	
3. Supplies and materials	1,100 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	609 00	
5. Equipment	80 00	
6. All other	1,000 00	
24. For noncontributory pensions		110,647 67
25. For contributory retirement system and super- visory expenses		292,846 65
26. For miscellaneous and contingent expenses		70,107 83
27. For unpaid bills of previous years		9,741 88
28. For reserve fund		60,000 00
29. For advertising recreational, cultural, historic and scenic advantages of the county		50,000 00
30. For forest fire patrol		5,300 00
31. For radio system for fire protection		1,500 00
36. For Dutch elm disease		12,000 00
39. For group insurance		138,000 00
Total amount of appropriations		<u>\$7,982,068 95</u>
Less estimated amount available for reduction of county tax		<u>1,372,527 43</u>
And the county commissioners of Worcester County are hereby authorized to levy as the county tax of said county for the current year, in the manner provided by law, the sum of		\$6,609,541 52

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved August 12, 1970.

Chap. 659. AN ACT MAKING CERTAIN CORRECTIVE CHANGES IN THE
LAW ESTABLISHING THE LANCASTER SEWER DISTRICT.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 831 of the acts of 1967 is hereby amended by inserting after section 10 the following section:—

Section 10A. The district shall elect by ballot at each annual district meeting a treasurer, who shall not be a member of the board of sewer commissioners, and who shall serve until his successor is elected and qualified. The treasurer shall perform those duties required by law to be performed by the treasurers of districts and those duties prescribed by the board of sewer commissioners. Pending the first such election, a treasurer may be elected at a special meeting or, at any time there is no treasurer in office, a temporary treasurer may be appointed